



# DISCOVERY PARK

**Spring  
2006**



**Celebrate the Spring Equinox!  
Earth Day  
International Migratory Bird Day**

**Purple Martins**

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# Discovery Park Environmental Learning Center

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## Hours of Operation

Tuesday through Sunday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

### Holiday closures

Monday, May 29, Memorial Day

### Program registration

Mail-in and walk-in registration begins as soon as this brochure is available.

### Program dates

March 12 through June 10, 2006

### You can make a difference!

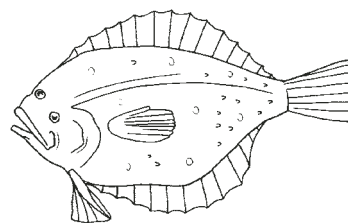
The Advisory Council is a group of citizens dedicated to the enrichment of our community. Its support enables us to offer a variety of programs and services for people of all ages, abilities and backgrounds.

Our Advisory Council is always looking for new members. Meetings are held (on the fourth Wednesday evening of every month) to talk about programs, policies, and financial issues. Citizen direction and participation are vital to our continued success. Advisory Council members also create scholarship opportunities through grant writing and other fundraising activities. If you'd like to get involved, please contact our staff.

Most classes, workshops, sports, and special events are funded through the Advisory Council rather than through Seattle Parks and Recreation. Revenues generated through program fees offset program costs to make Advisory Council activities self-sustaining. We rely heavily on program participation, donations, and contributions to buy, repair, maintain, and upgrade program equipment and supplies.

### Professional staff

Ken Bounds, *Superintendent*  
Christopher Williams, *Operations Director*  
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## Come Fish With Us!

Have you ever yelled “**I got one!!!**”? Fishing is great fun, and it's a sport the whole family can enjoy. Seattle Parks and the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife bring you the second “Fishing Kids” event at Green Lake on Saturday, April 22 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Green Lake Park.

Bring your kids and we'll teach them to fish—we want to introduce more kids to fishing, a lifetime sport you can especially enjoy in Seattle with our abundant water. You'll learn lots about fishing, including water safety, different kinds of fish, how to cast, and what to do with a fish when you catch it.

Every child who participates will receive a T-shirt and a rod and reel to take home, and you'll even bring home a trout!

To sign up any child from age 5 to 14, just ask for a form at any Parks and Recreation facility, and mail it to the address on it with \$5 for each child participating. We hope to see you on April 22!

COVER PHOTOGRAPH: PURPle MARINS BY KEVIN LI  
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PLEASE READ THE INFORMATION ABOUT OUR FRIEND AND  
AMAZING ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARD, KEVIN LI, ON  
PAGE 4.

# Programs



## Environmental Stewardship

### Habitat Restoration Work Party

Discovery Park needs YOU! to help heal habitats. Healthy habitats provide good homes for wildlife and a beautiful place for you to visit.

Tools, gloves and instructions provided.

**Pre-registration recommended. Call 206-386-4236.**

**Sat, Apr 1**

**10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

### Beach Clean Up

Interested in making a difference? Come to Discovery Park and help clean up the beach. We have two miles of beaches that get trashed (literally) during the winter months. We would love to have your help in cleaning them up.

**Must be 8 years old or older to participate.**

**Pre-registration recommended. Call 206-386-4236.**

**Sat, May 6**

**10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

**Sat, May 20**

**10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

## Community Enrichment

Is your company, church, scout group or social club interested in making a difference in the environment? Your group can participate in the habitat restoration program in Discovery Park. Healing habitats builds teams, provides community involvement and reflects environmental stewardship values.

Organized groups can register now to take part in habitat restoration. We provide the tools, gloves and plants — your group has all the fun and reward of healing wildlife habitats.

Call 206-386-4250 today if you would like to reserve a date.

# Programs



Martin Muller

## Nature Classes

### Birds of Nisqually

Leave the confines of the city and venture to the Nisqually Wildlife Refuge in search of spring migrants. Expect to see early hummingbirds, swallows and late waterfowl.

**Cost includes transportation to and from the refuge and price of admission.**

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236.**

**Age: 12 and up**

**Sat, Apr 15                      7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.**

**Fees: \$25.00 per person**

### River Otters

There are several individual otters that make Discovery Park beaches their home. Learn how to recognize signs of otters, their habitat needs, and intimate details of river otter behavior.

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236.**

**Sat, May 6                      9 – 11 a.m.**

**Fees: \$8.00 per person**

### Street of Dreams - Urban Nest Tour

Join us for a new perspective on urban birding - visit Osprey nests, Bald Eagle nests, Purple Martin nests and many more exciting homes.

The tour includes transportation, professional guides, and a stop for lunch. (Must provide your own lunch. We'll provide snacks.)

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236.**

**Age: 12 and older**

**Sat, Jun 17                      7 a.m. – 2 p.m.**

**Fees: \$20.00 per person**

### Discovery Park Honors the Memory of Kevin Li

January, 1956 – January, 2006

Kevin was the birder responsible for bringing Purple Martins back to the Seattle area. Enjoy the fruits of his labor this spring watching Purple Martins at Shilshole Marina, Jack Block Park, West Duwamish River, Interbay Waterways and here in Discovery Park. Kevin, with help from his friends, is the one that put up and maintained all the gourds you may see in these areas.

Kevin is a great example of the difference one person can make on this planet. The Discovery Park staff honor Kevin and his dedication to bringing positive change to the earth. We will miss his photographs, his generosity of spirit, and his warm smile.

If you are interested in helping to continue Kevin's work, please consider making a donation in his name to the following group. They are setting up a special Purple Martin Fund and all of the money will be used in Seattle.

Georgia Basin Ecological Assessment and Restoration Society (GBEARS)  
Attention: Ms. Charlene Lee  
133-4176A Departure Bay Road  
Nanaimo, BC, Canada  
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*Make the check out to GBEARS*

*Please include: Kevin Li Memorial Fund on the check.*



# Programs

## Special Events

### Celebrate the Spring Equinox!

In December, creative artists marked the start of winter with a dynamic performance celebration: *Winter Solstice at Seattle Center*. Following the change of seasons, the performance turns West towards Discovery Park to celebrate the rebirth of Spring - **the Vernal Equinox**.

Festivities begin with kite-making activities in Discovery Park's Environmental Learning Center. At noon, a performance parade connects land to sky. Weaving together movement, music, wind and colorful airborne objects, performers will capture your imagination and soar. For more information, please email:

**SeattleSpringEquinox@yahoo.com.**

**No registration required.**

Call 206-386-4237 for information.

**Sat, Mar 18                      10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

**Fees: Free**

## Nature Classes

### Earth Day Station Rotation!

The first step to helping the Earth is knowing what's out there. During this exciting event, nature stations are set up in several places around Discovery Park. At each station learn about a specific topic with fun activities and games. Visit all stations and receive a prize.

Whether you are an individual, an organized group, or an unorganized group of friends, come to Discovery Park and find out how you can help the Earth every day!

**Sat, Apr 22                      11 a.m. – 3 p.m.**

**Fees: Free**

### International Migratory Bird Day

Celebrate the return of our feathered friends. Each spring swallows, tanagers, warblers and many other species make an arduous return flight to the Pacific Northwest. Many of these spectacular birds consider Discovery Park their summer home.

**All events are free.**

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 to register.**

**Age: 8 years old and up**

#### Early Bird Tour

Join an experienced birder on this early morning search for migrants.

**Sat, May 13                      7 – 9 a.m.**

#### Bird Tour

Join an experienced birder on this morning search for migrants.

**Sat, May 13                      8 – 10 a.m.**

#### Late Riser Bird Tour

Join an experienced birder on this search for migrants.

**Sat, May 13                      10 a.m. – Noon**

#### Spring Wildflower Walk

Enjoy the beauty and wonder of spring in the Northwest forest.

Join a naturalist for an in-depth look at the colors and variety of spring wildflowers along the Wolf Tree Nature Trail.

**Age: All ages**

**Sat, May 13                      10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**



# Programs

## Seniors

### Discover Walking

Walk the 2.8 mile Discovery Park Loop Trail.  
Meet at the visitor center.

**Age:** 55+

**Fridays**      10 a.m. – Noon      Apr 10 – Jun 23

**Fees:** Free

**Location:** Discovery Park



## Bird Tours

### Bird Tour

Discover the wonders of birding. Join experienced leaders as we explore for spring migrants and year-round residents within Discovery's many varied habitats. Dress for the weather. Bring binoculars.

**All bird tours run from 8 to 10 a.m. Participants must be 8 years old or older.**

**Due to the popularity of these walks, we are limiting the number of bird tours that one person can sign up for to four per quarter.**

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 to register.**

**Sat, Mar 18**

**Sat, Mar 25**

**Sat, Apr 1**

**Sat, Apr 8**

**Sat, Apr 15**

**Sat, Apr 22**

**Sat, Apr 29**

**Sat, May 6**

**Sat, May 13**

# Programs



## West Point Light Station Open

Explore one of the newest additions to your Seattle parks.

The West Point Light Station property will be staffed from noon to 4 p.m. on various Saturdays this spring.

No registration necessary.

**Sat, Mar 25**

**Sat, Apr 1**

**Sat, Apr 29**

**Sat, May 6**

**Sat, May 20**

**Sat, May 27**

**Sat, Jun 10**

## Arts: Visual/Crafts

### Discovery Park Photography Workshop

Intended for beginning to intermediate level photographers. Intensify your sense of seeing, creating, self-expression, and composition. Discover how to consistently expose the film or digital sensor properly. Learn about the depth-of-field, ISO ratings, lenses, filters, and to use them to your advantage.

This workshop includes classroom instruction and a field trip within the park. Bring your camera and instruction manual.

Dress for the weather and for hiking the trails.

Equipment recommendations: a Single Lens Reflex camera (SLR or DSLR) capable of adjusting the shutter and aperture manually and a tripod.

Instructor Thomas Hefferan is a popular photography instructor at Bellevue and Edmonds Community Colleges. He photographs and teaches to celebrate and share the gift of grace and beauty. Session A & Session B will have the same material.

**Sat, Apr 8**

**8:30 a.m. – Noon**

**Fees: \$40.00**

**Sat, Apr 8**

**1 – 4:30 p.m.**

**Fees: \$40.00**

# Programs

## Weekend Naturalist Series

### Pond Investigation

A lot of life lurks beneath the surface of the pond. Using nets, buckets and magnifying lenses, prepare to discover the incredible diversity of pond life at Discovery Park – from tadpoles to dragonfly nymphs to freshwater shrimp.

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 the morning of the walk to register.**

**Age:** Age 6 to adult

**Sat, Apr 8** 2 – 3:30 p.m.

**Fees:** Free

### Stayin' Alive Between the Tides

Search for sea life while the tide is low. Look on the sand, on the rocks, under the rocks, and even under the sand. Learn how these animals survive when their source of food, air, and shelter is literally out to sea. Dress for the weather. Wear shoes that can get wet.

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 the morning of the walk to register.**

**Age:** Ages 6 and up

**Sat, Apr 29** 11:15 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.

**Fees:** Free



Polly Clark



### Beach Exploration

When the tide is out you can experience the undersea world of sea stars, moon snails, and crabs. Be sure to wear shoes that can get wet (no sandals).

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 the day before the walk to register.**

**Age:** Age 6 to Adult

**Sat, May 27** 10 a.m. – Noon

**Fees:** Free

### Fort Lawton and Beyond: A History Program

Explore the rich and fascinating history of the property now known as Discovery Park including its evolution from Fort Lawton.

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 the morning of the walk to register.**

**Age:** Age 8 to adult

**Sun, May 28** 2 – 4 p.m.

**Fees:** Free



# Programs



## Spring Wildflower Walks

Enjoy the beauty and wonder of spring in the Northwest forest. Join native plant expert Gretchen Graber for an in depth look at the colors and variety of spring wildflowers in Discovery Park.

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 the morning of the walk.**

**Sat, May 6** 1 – 3 p.m.

**Sat, May 13** 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

## Birding Basics

Want to identify those birds you see in your backyard or on your daily walk and don't know where to begin? This is the program for you. Join the fastest growing sport in America. We'll explore different habitats in Discovery Park while learning basic birdwatching skills. Bring binoculars if you have them.

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 the morning of the walk to register.**

**Age: 8 and up**

**Sat, Jun 3** 2 – 4 p.m.

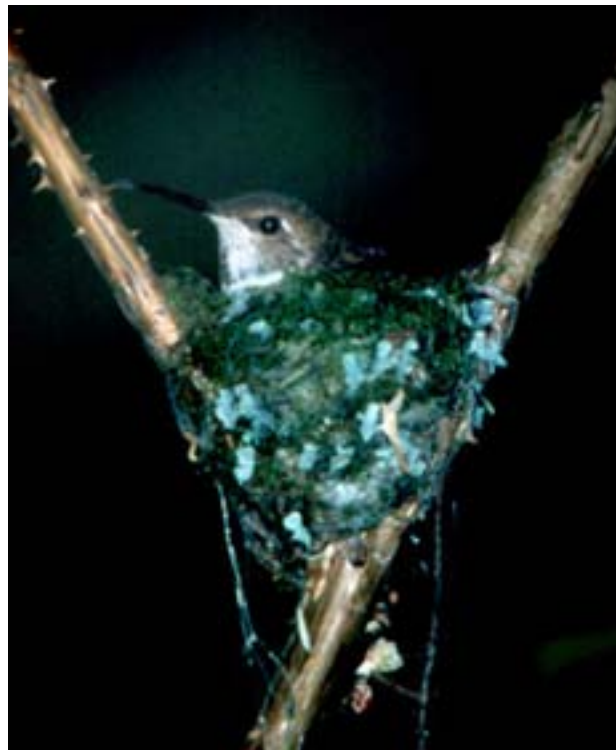
**Fees: Free**

## Beneath the Sound

Explore the intertidal zone during this brilliant - 1.8 low tide.

**Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 the day before the walk to register.**

**Sat, Jun 10** 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.



David Hutchinson.

# Programs

## Tot Walks

### Nature Walks for Tots

One-hour nature exploration walks for children 2-3 years old with an adult. Children must be at least two years old and less than four years old to be in this class.

Up to two children can be registered with one adult. Due to the popularity of these programs, you may sign up for only two tot walks per quarter.

Each walk is \$3.00 per person.

Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 to register.

### Celebrating Green

Sat, Mar 18 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Wed, Mar 22 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Wed, Mar 22 11 a.m. – Noon

### Ponds & Polliwogs

Wed, Apr 5 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Wed, Apr 5 11 a.m. – Noon

### Beach ABCs

Wed, Apr 26 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Wed, Apr 26 11 a.m. – Noon

Sat, Apr 29 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

### Spring's Song

Wed, May 10 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Wed, May 10 11 a.m. – Noon

### Tidepool Boogie

Sat, May 13 11 a.m. – Noon

Wed, May 24 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Wed, May 24 11 a.m. – Noon

## Preschool/Parent Nature Adventures

### Preschool/Parent Nature Adventures

**Adults**, this is your chance to share an adventure with your child or **with your favorite little 4 and 5 year old friend**. Each class we explore an area or an animal from Discovery Park and share a snack and/or a craft project. Dress for the weather; programs happen rain or shine.

All programs are from 10 a.m. to noon.

Each adventure is \$5.00 per person

Pre-registration required. Call 206-386-4236 to register.

### Low Tide Adventure

Time to hit the beach and see what's hiding in the tidepools. Anemone, barnacle, and crab sitings guaranteed. Let's see if we find some dogwhelks, eel grass, and fish, too! Bring a pair of shoes that can get wet.

**Fri, Mar 31**

### Pond Adventure

Spring time is a great time for exploring ponds. With the help of a net and a bucket, we can search for all sorts of critters that use the ponds for food or shelter. Then we'll gather at the Environmental Learning Center for snacks and maybe an art project or a story.

**Fri, Apr 21**

### Intertidal Discoveries

Intertidal means between the tides. During this very low tide (-2.2) let's explore the area that is underwater most of the time. We'll search for **moon snails** and **geoducks**. We'll dip in the **eel grass** beds and look for **skeleton shrimp** and little **halibuts**! There's an amazing world between the tides. Let's explore it while it's uncovered.

**Fri, May 26**

# Programs

## Nature Classes

### Nature's Storytime

30-minute story session geared towards pre-schoolers with adults. Included are storybook readings and a short activity. Great entertainment for you and your children and an opportunity for you to find out about nature-oriented children's books.

**Storytimes run from 10:30-11:00am and cost \$1.00 for each person. Pre-registration is requested. Programs are cancelled if not enough people are pre-registered by the weekend before the date.**

### Animal Babies

Wed, Mar 29

### Pond Critters

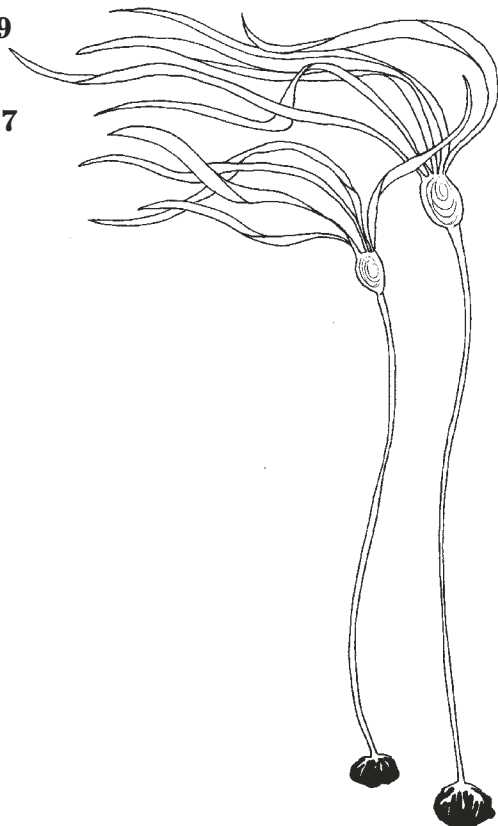
Wed, Apr 19

### Birds

Wed, May 17

### Tidepools

Wed, Jun 7



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### Spring Break Nature Daycamp

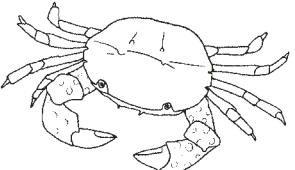
Register now for the ninth season of Spring Break Nature Daycamp! Campers visit the beach, ponds, meadow, and forest as well as play games, create art, make new friends and have fun exploring Discovery Park.

Registration is on a first come, first served basis by mail or in person. Use registration form in this brochure. Registration must be received one week prior to the start date of camp.

**Apr 10 – Apr 14      9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**


**Fees: \$170 Limited scholarships available**

# Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>March</b>						
12	13	14	15	16	17	18 <b>Celebrate the Spring Equinox!</b> 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. <b>Bird Tour</b> 8 – 10 a.m. <b>Nature Walks for Tots:</b> <b>Celebrating Green</b> 10:30 -11:30 a.m.
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26	27	28	29 <b>Nature's Storytime:</b> <b>Animal Babies</b> 10:30 – 11 a.m.	30	31 <b>Preschool/Parent</b> <b>Nature Adventures:</b> <b>Low Tide Adventure</b> 10 a.m. – Noon	
<b>April</b>						
 SHORE CRAB						1 <b>Bird Tour</b> 8 – 10 a.m. <b>Habitat Restoration</b> <b>Work Party</b> 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. <b>West Point Light Station</b> Open Noon – 4 p.m.
	2		5 <b>Nature Walks for Tots:</b> <b>Ponds &amp; Polliwogs</b> 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. 11 a.m. – Noon	6	7	8 <b>Bird Tour</b> 8 – 10 a.m. <b>Discovery Park Photography</b> <b>Workshop</b> 8:30 a.m. – Noon 1 – 4:30 p.m. <b>Pond Investigation</b> 2 – 3:30 p.m.
9	10	11	12	13	14	15 <b>Birds of Nisqually</b> 7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. <b>Bird Tour</b> 8 – 10 a.m.
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# Calendar

May						
	1	2	3	4	5	6 <b>Beach Clean Up</b> 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. <b>River Otters</b> 9 – 11 a.m. <b>West Point Light Station</b> Open Noon – 4 p.m. <b>Bird Tour</b> 8 – 10 a.m. <b>Spring Wildflower Walks</b> 1 – 3 p.m.
7	8	9	10 <b>Nature Walks for Tots</b> <b>Spring's Song</b> 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. 11 a.m. – Noon	11	12	13 <b>International Migratory Bird Day</b> <b>Early Bird Tour</b> 7 – 9 a.m. <b>Bird Tour</b> 8 – 10 a.m. <b>Late Riser Bird Tour</b> 10 a.m. – Noon <b>Spring Wildflower Walk</b> 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. <b>Nature Walks for Tots</b> <b>Tidepool Boogie</b> 11 a.m. – Noon
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28 <b>Fort Lawton and Beyond: A History Program</b> 2 – 4 p.m.	29	30	31	1	2	3 <b>Birding Basics</b> 2 – 4 p.m.
June						
4	5	6	7 <b>Nature's Storytime Tidepools</b> 10:30 – 11 a.m.	8	9	10 <b>Beneath the Sound</b> 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. <b>West Point Light Station</b> Open Noon – 4 p.m.
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# Park Notes

## Mission

Seattle Parks and Recreation will work with all citizens to be good stewards of our environment, and to provide safe and welcoming opportunities to play, learn, contemplate, and build community.

E-Brochures are available!

In keeping with our environmental stewardship policies, we're trying to reduce the amount of paper we use. We invite you to visit our web site at [www.seattle.gov/parks](http://www.seattle.gov/parks). You can find this brochure information online.

## Suggestions

We welcome your ideas. If you want to suggest a new class, or if you have an idea you think would benefit us or our community in general, please let us know.

## Anti-discrimination

As a matter of policy, law, and commitment, Seattle Parks and Recreation does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, political ideology, age, creed, religion, ancestry, national origin, or the presence of any sensory, mental or physical handicap.

## Accommodation for people with disabilities.

We will make reasonable accommodation, upon request, for people with disabilities. For sign language interpretation, auxiliary aids or other accommodation, please call (206) 615-0140 or TDD (206) 684-4950. Please allow 10 working days' advance notice. If a class or activity is scheduled in an area not accessible for wheelchairs, we will make every effort to help you find a similar program in an accessible location.

## Rentals

For information about room rentals, please view our facility rental brochure. (<http://www.cityofseattle.net/parks/reservations/facrentalguide.htm>)

## More information

For information about Parks and Recreation facilities, recreation programs, picnic shelters, and scheduling, please visit our web site at [www.seattle.gov/parks](http://www.seattle.gov/parks), or call our Public Information line, 206-684-4075. For more information about programs for senior adults, please call 206-684-4951, and for information about programs for special populations, please call 206-684-4950.

## Payment

You can pay for classes and other activities by mail, in person during regular facility hours, or by telephone with a credit card. We accept Visa, MasterCard and American Express. Please make checks and money orders out to our Advisory Council. **Please note:** Payment is due when you register, unless we have indicated otherwise. If your check is returned for insufficient funds, your registration will be cancelled until you pay the amount due, plus a \$20 fee. (Credit card or cash only.) We are working on a system that will make online registration available.

## Fees and charges

Our Advisory Council provides the programs and activities listed in this brochure under an agreement with Seattle Parks and Recreation. Fees collected by the Advisory Council are used to offset the cost of providing the programs. Program charges include user fees of 3.25%, paid to Seattle Parks and Recreation to defray operating costs. Class and program fees include Washington State sales tax where applicable.

## Refunds

It is the policy of Seattle Parks and Recreation and the Associated Recreation Council that:

- Anyone who registers for a class, camp, special event or program that is cancelled for any reason by Parks and Recreation or the Advisory Council will receive a full refund.
- Anyone who registers for a day camp, trip, overnight camp, special event, or facility rental, and who requests a refund 14 days or more before its start (or before the second session of a class), may receive a refund minus a service charge.
- Anyone who registers for a day camp, trip, overnight camp, special event, or facility rental, and who withdraws from the activity fewer than 14 days before its start (or after the second session of a class), will receive no refund.
- Please read the entire policy, #7.16, for specific information.

## Scholarships

Our Advisory Council wants to ensure that our activities, classes and sports are available to everyone, regardless of their ability to pay. The Council may choose to offer scholarships for qualified applicants. To apply for a scholarship, please talk to a member of our staff.

## Waiting lists

We will create waiting lists for all filled classes. Please be sure to sign up if you are interested in a class that is full, because class openings often become available. If demand is high, we will try to form another class. Please contact us for space availability.

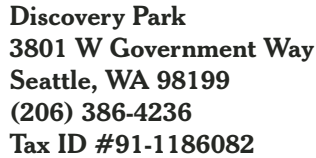
## Class cancellations

To cover the cost of providing a program, we need a specific number of participants. If too few people sign up for a class, we must cancel it. We'll notify you (at the latest) one or two days before the class start date. When possible, we will postpone a cancelled class for a week to allow for more enrollments; if the class minimum is not met by then, we will have to cancel it.

## Confirmations

Sorry, we cannot confirm class registration by mail or phone, but we will notify you by phone if your class is postponed or cancelled.

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1. Please complete registration form entirely.  
(Day camp programs use alternative form)
2. Payment **MUST** accompany registration.

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## Discovery Park Calendar Photo Contest

Photographers are invited to enter the 2006 Discovery Park Calendar Photo Contest. The contest is sponsored by the Discovery Park Advisory Council. All photographs for the contest must be taken at Discovery Park or Kiwanis Ravine. The entry deadline is May 20, 2006.

Winning photographs are published in a four-color, limited edition calendar that includes a biographical statement by each photographer. All contest entries are exhibited at a calendar contest celebration on Sept. 16.

Artists may submit up to three photos with a \$10 non-refundable entry fee and completed entry form. Review is by slide or digital image. Digital images should be approximately 8.5" x 11" at 300 dpi in TIF format. Entries may be mailed or dropped off at the Discovery Park Environmental Learning Center, Attn: Photo Contest. Applications and official guidelines can be found at [www.discoverypark.org](http://www.discoverypark.org).

For more information, call 206-733-9434.



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